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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>		<b>Docket No. (Optional)</b> 27373/38132	
In re Application of <b>Radoje T. Drmanac</b>			
Application Number <b>10/068,301</b>		Filed <b>February 5, 2002</b>	
For: <b>METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR EFFICIENT NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCING</b>			
Art Unit <b>1837</b>		Examiner <b>Jeffrey Siew</b>	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 55.00

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I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 43,363

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
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